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E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: PINT, SHUM, SF
SUBJ: PITYANAS FLEE SOUTH AFRICA

1. ACCORDING TO TODAY'S CAPE TOWN ARGUS, FORMER SASO SECRETARY-GENERAL BARNEY PITYANA AND FAMILY (WIFE NOMSISI AND DAUGHTER LOYISA) HAVE FLED TO LESOTHO, WHERE THEY ARE BEING CARED FOR BY RELATIVES.

2. GIVEN REPORTED TERMS OF PITYANA FIVE YEAR BANNING ORDER, IT IS NOT SURPRISING HE OPTED TO LEAVE COUNTRY. NOT ONLY WAS HE PROHIBITED FROM PRACTICING HIS PROFESSION, BUT, ACCORDING TO INFORMATION I RECEIVED WHILE IN PORT ELIZABETH LAST WEEK, PITYANA WAS NOT ALLOWED ANY VISITORS EXCEPT HIS MOTHER, DOCTOR, AND LAWYER. SEVERAL REPORTERS WHO ENTERED NEW BRIGHTON TOWNSHIP TO TRY AND INTERVIEW PITYANA LAST WEEK WERE BRIEFLY DETAINED.

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3. COMMENT: GOVT ATTEMPT TO ISOLATE PITYANA, AND CONTINUED DETENTION OF PETER JONES, WOULD SEEM TO INDICATE THAT SAG REMAINS PARTICULARLY SENSITIVE ABOUT FORMER ASSOCIATES OF STEVE BIKO.
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